

fixed by said fixing portion.

✓ 36. (New) The composite material according to claim 35 wherein said second substrate is selected from the group consisting of columns, stakes, logs, buildings, footings, and sheets.

✓ 37. (New) The composite material according to claim 35 wherein the first substrate is a cloth or synthetic resin sheet.

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CON ✓ 38. (New) The composite material according to claim 35 wherein the welding portion extends across the entire width of the welding fabric.

✓ 39. (New) The composite material according to claim 35 wherein the welding portion extends across part of the width of the welding fabric.

✓ 40. (New) The composite material according to claim 35 wherein the welding portion comprises a warp coated with a thermoplastic material.

✓ 41. (New) The composite material according to claim 35 wherein said welding portion is at each end of said welding

fabric.

✓ 42. (New) The composite material according to claim 35 wherein said welding portion is in the middle portion of said fabric.

43. (New) A composite material comprising:

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a. a material comprising a welding fabric welded to a first substrate, wherein said welding fabric comprises a welding portion and a fixing portion, wherein said welding portion includes a material which melts under hot pressing condition and said fixing portion is provided with auxiliary fixing means;

b. wherein said auxiliary fixing means is provided with straps; and

c. a second substrate to which said material is fixed by said fixing portion.

✓ 44. (New) The composite material according to claim 43 wherein said second substrate is selected from the group consisting of columns, stakes, logs, buildings, footings, and sheets.

✓ 45. (New) The composite material according to claim 43 wherein said first substrate is a cloth or synthetic resin

sheet.

✓ 46. (New) The composite material according to claim 43 wherein the welding portion extends across the entire width of the welding fabric.

✓ 47. (New) The composite material according to claim 43 wherein the welding portion extends across the entire width of the welding fabric.

✓ 48. (New) The composite material according to claim 43 wherein the welding portion extends across part of the width of the welding fabric.

✓ 49. (New) The composite material according to claim 43 wherein the welding portion comprises a warp coated with a thermoplastic material.

✓ 50. (New) The composite material according to claim 43 wherein said welding portion is at each end of said welding fabric.

51. (New) The composite material according to claim 43 wherein said welding portion is in the middle portion of said fabric.